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## LETTER TO THE OFFICIAL DRAFTSPERSON

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Dear Sir:

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Enclosed here are sheets 32, 38-40 and 43 of the drawings incorporating corrections requested by the Examiner. In each case, Japanese characters have been replaced by English for "Fig." designations.

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